

# HOUSE . . . . . No. 1323

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By Mr. DeLeo of Winthrop, petition of Robert A. DeLeo relative to the qualification of pilots to operate vessels. Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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In the Year Two Thousand and Five.

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AN ACT RELATIVE TO PILOTAGE OF VESSELS.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:*

1 Section 21 of chapter 103 of the General Laws, as appearing in  
2 the 2002 official edition, is hereby amended by adding at the end  
3 thereof the following sentence:— Notwithstanding the provisions  
4 of this chapter, a pilot who retains a First Class Federal Pilotage  
5 Endorsement shall be considered qualified under the provisions of  
6 this section.